BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT PETITIONER)
VS.)
CLAIMS ADJUSTING GROUP, INC. NPN 7568480 RESPONDENT) A.I.D. NO. 2022- 38

CONSENT TO VOLUNTARY REVOCATION

On this day, Alan McClain, Arkansas Insurance Commissioner ("Commissioner"), and Claims Adjusting Group, Inc., ("Respondent") agree to enter into this Consent Order for the reasons stated below. The Respondent neither admits nor denies any of the Findings of Fact or the Conclusions of Law below.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent, Claims Adjusting Group is an incorporated entity domiciled in California.
- 2. Respondent was issued an Arkansas Non-Resident Business Entity Insurance Adjuster License, NPN 7568480, on September 22, 2021.
- 3. Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-202(c) prohibits a person from engaging in the business of adjusting in Arkansas without a license. A business entity must hold a resident or non-resident adjuster license to engage in the business of adjustment and claims settlements in Arkansas. Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-210(a)(1)(A).
- 4. Between 2016 and September 2021, Respondent engaged in the business of insurance adjusting and claims settlement in Arkansas although it was not licensed to do so.
- 5. Between 2016 and September 2021, Respondent operated as a thirdparty-administrator in Arkansas without obtaining a certificate of registration.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

From the Findings of Fact contained herein, the Commissioner concludes as follows:

- 1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §§ 23-61-103 et seq., 23-64-201 et seq, and 23-64-501 et seq.
- 2. The Commissioner may suspend or revoke an adjuster's license for any violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-216(a)(2)(B).
- 3. Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-202(c) prohibits a person from engaging in the business of adjusting without a license. Respondent's actions, as described above, violated Ark. Code Ann. §§ 23-64-202(c) & 23-64-210.
- 4. Ark. Code Ann. 23-92-203(a) prohibits a person from holding himself out as an administrator unless he or she obtains a certificate of registration from the Insurance Commissioner. Respondent's actions, as described above, violated Ark. Code Ann. § 23-92-203.
- 5. Considering the Commissioner's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Respondent agrees to its Arkansas non-resident insurance adjuster license being voluntarily revoked.
- 6. Respondent expressly waives all further procedural steps, and expressly waives all rights to seek judicial review of or to otherwise challenge or contest the validity of this Consent Order.

THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED AND AGREED that:

All adjuster licenses issued by the Arkansas Insurance Department to Respondent, Claims Adjusting Group, Inc., NPN 7568480 are hereby revoked.

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IT IS SO ORDERED THIS	6	_day of _	11/0	, 2022.

CLAIMS ADJUSTING GROUP

RESPONDENT

ALAN MCCLAIN

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

STATE OF ARKANSAS